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The government has yet \$71,000,000 acres of vacant land to dispose of, exclusive of 320,000,000 acres in Alaska. There is still room for a great many more people in the United States.

The dear girls of Plainfield, N. J., are planning to give a minstrel entertainment to raise funds for a church rectory. It would be ecstatic to be the middleman in that kind of an aggregation.

Queen Lil is on her throne again, and she is liable to be thrown again, just the same. Those of her subjects who happen to wear clothes and possess the ability to write their names are "fanatics" her.

Army life is dangerous at the best. Even in Brazil there seems to be little likelihood of being shot, fever and small pox are said to prevail to a much larger extent than do regular rations.

New York has 43,000 acres of vineyard and is the second state in the Union in the extent and value of grape growing. California being in the lead. The industry in the Empire State gives employment to over 25,000 people and represents an investment of \$22,000,000.

The present Lord Tennyson is writing a life of his father. A graceful testimony to his fitness for the task is conveyed in the assurance that "the Laureate during his lifetime had no greater admirer of his superb work than his own sons."

Corals increase by eggs, spontaneous division and germination. The rate of growth has not been fully determined. Prof. Agassiz indicates the growth of reefs at Key West at the rate of six inches in 100 years, and adds that if we waited 7,000 years to form the reefs in that place and hundreds of thousands of years for the growth in Florida.

Kentucky is to indulge in what is regarded as a luxury in that state on Jan. 5, when a colored man will be legally hanged. The people of one whole country are now playing martyr because they kept hands off and allowed the law to take its course. Civilization is having an up-hill fight of it in old Kentucky, and occasionally scores a point when the populace is caught napping.

The late grand jury of Baxter county, Ark., returned indictments against sixty men for swearing, there being a law against profanity in that state. It had become a dead letter, but the grand jury resurrected it in good shape, but now there is some silent struggle among the parties indicted. A strong and combined fight will be made to beat the law when the cases come up for trial.

The president of the female college at Lake Forest, Ill., has proved himself a despot of the worst description. He has forbidden the young ladies attending that institution from playing football or indulging in the luxury of entertaining young men of evenings. This is a terrible hardship. The young lady who is denied the privilege of kicking a rubber ball over a fence or has a right to rebel. It is such a womanly accomplishment, you know!

The census of India, just published, gives the population at 287,000,000, about one-fifth of the entire population of the earth. Nearly three-fourths of the inhabitants are engaged in agriculture. The birth rate is higher than that of any European country, except Russia, reaching forty-eight in a thousand, and the death rate forty in a thousand. About 25 per cent of the children born die during the first year.

The costliest mile of railroad is a mile measured on the steel portion of the Fort bridge. The length of this portion is a mile and twenty yards, and the cost of it was considerably over \$100,000,000. The most expensive railway system in the world is the "finer circle" line of London, which cost, including the purchase of the land, from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 per mile. The last constructed mile, between the Mansion house and Aldgate, cost altogether, including "compensations," nearly \$10,000,000.

Seeing the conditions under which coal miners work in hot and dust laden atmosphere and their terrible liability to fatal accident, it might naturally be expected that the death rate would be excessively high. As a matter of fact this is far from being the case. Even when fatal accident is included, their death rate is by no means an excessively high one, and putting aside the death rate from disease alone is exceptionally low, being almost exactly the same as agricultural laborers.

The policy of wearing out the enemy in war by delays, misleading movements, feints, attacks, etc., while avoiding open battle, is called the "Fabian policy" from the following circumstance: Fabius Maximus was a Roman general in the second Punic war. Having been appointed just after the Roman army had suffered severe defeat at Lake Trasymene, he perceived that his disheartened troops and bands of raw recruits could not oppose successfully a trained army pushed with victory and led by their great commander, Hannibal. He therefore avoided pitched battles, moved his camp from highland to highland, and tired out the enemy with marches and countermarches. This he continued until thwarted in his calculations by the impatience of the Roman senate.

**His Thoughts Were Elsewhere.**  
The casiness with which aged people fall into a mood of renunciation is exemplified by an anecdote in Texas history.

Johnny, who is much interested in American history, thought he would test his grandfather's knowledge on the subject. So, as the old gentleman sat reading his newspaper, Johnny began: "Grandpa, do you know what great war broke out in 1812?"

The old man lifted his spectacles and looked at Johnny over his nose. "Why," said he, "that was the year I married your grandmother."

**He Wanted a Change.**  
"What prompted you to rob this man's shirt?" asked Judge Duffy to the prisoner.

"My family physician," was the reply.

"Senseless," he told me that it was absolutely necessary that I should take a little change.

"Well, I'll see you have one. Six months on the island."

## THE WEEKLY NEWS DIGEST

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

The Latest and Most Important News of the World, Collected from the Telegrams, Reports of the Press Associations.

### FROM THE CAPITAL.

President Cleveland is busy on his annual message, and few appointments will be made for some time. Honduras government has apologized for firing on the American flag and Uncle Sam is satisfied therewith. A majority of the Democrats on the ways and means committee favor an income tax and free coal and iron ore.

Comptroller Becks, speaking of the improved financial outlook, mentions the fact that only two national banks have failed in nearly three months. A bill for a new banking and financial system of Honduras, a nephew of the general, has been introduced and is presented at the opening of the regular session of congress.

A case involving the town site of the Great Falls, Minn., in which the general had commissioner in favor of the Great Falls Water Power and Town Site company.

Charles Carls has arranged an arrangement with New York bankers whereby the gold reserve will again be brought up to the legal limit of \$100,000,000.

### PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mrs. Anna Brewster, wife of a Pima, Ohio, man who was swindled out of \$4,500 by sharpers, died of grief.

John Palmer, the inventor of the electric light, died at Union City, Mich.

John T. Gurry, general superintendent of the Burlington & Quincy railroad, is dead.

Lydia Young has died in Ogden city, Ill., aged 93 years. She never saw a train of cars.

New Hampshire's world's fair building has been bought by Gen. Charles Williams, who will present it to the city of Manchester.

Mrs. Mary Crosby, a poor seamstress living at Springfield, Ill., was found in a rooming house in North Carolina worth \$75,000.

Mrs. Jenn Ingelov, the well known writer, makes a point of giving dinner twice a week to twelve poor persons freshly discharged from the hospitals of London.

Rosa Bonheur says in defense of her artistic attitude, "I have never had all the chances of success had she had to bear the weight of the skirts in fashion thirty-six years ago."

Barring a little trouble from rheumatism, Queen Victoria, who will be 75 years old in May next, if she lives till then, is in excellent condition and is expected to live twenty years more.

Henry York of St. Louis, Mo., was lost in a snow storm and wandered into a shallow lake, where he fell, and was carried off by the current. He was found in the lake in the morning.

The latest of the heroes of the civil war to be honored is Maj. Gen. Julius Stahel, of V. of New York. The war department has just awarded him a congressional medal for "distinguished services in the war of 1861-65, June 25, 1864."

Gen. Stahel has since the war also earned distinction in the diplomatic service of the United States. He was minister to Mexico from 1875 to 1878.

Eva Kelly, aged eighteen years, was killed by Mrs. Alice V. Marshall at the home of Mrs. Marvin, the girl's mother. Kelly, who was only fifteen years old, was killed by a bullet fired by Mrs. Marshall.

The funeral of Mrs. Marshall was held at her home in St. Louis, Mo., on Monday last. She was buried in the cemetery of St. Louis.

Several lives are lost in a fire at Memphis, Tenn. The fire broke out in the night and spread rapidly, destroying several buildings.

Ben Rhodes was killed and George Tidwell seriously injured by a fall of a stone in the Taylorville, Ill., coal mine. The stone fell from a height of about 100 feet.

The total loss in the Taylorville, Ill., coal mine was \$200,000. The mine was owned by the Taylorville Coal & Iron Co.

Harry Bonhold, a Plover county, Ill., boy, put a bullet in his brother's head. The boy was about 15 years old.

Fire at Fort Wayne, Ind., destroyed the Academy of Music and the Alhambra. The fire broke out in the night and spread rapidly, destroying several buildings.

Steamer advises state that two severe shocks of earthquake were experienced in Dominica, West Indies, on the 14th inst.

Clifton Carr, fourteen years old, while racing down hill at Lafayette, Ind., stumbled and fell, breaking his arm and leg. He was taken to the hospital.

The art and painting establishment of H. H. Goebel at Grand Rapids, Mich., was damaged to the extent of \$20,000 by a fire on the 14th inst.

Two Chicago & Erie freight cars together in a rear-end collision at Monterey, Ind. Frank D. Lord was injured. The cars were carrying coal.

George Thorpe, Sr., one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of El Paso, Ill., died at his home on the 14th inst. He was 82 years old.

The fire which destroyed the tobacco and cigar stores at Chicago, on the 14th inst., was caused by a gas leak. The stores were owned by the Chicago Tobacco Co.

Adam Bright, a farmer near Troy, Ohio, exchanged \$4,500 for a box he thought held \$20,000. He found two boxes.

Three life-term convicts at Birmingham, Ala., escaped from the penitentiary with false keys. Dogs are on the loose.

John Schuler, Cleveland, Ohio, paroled and banished from Germany for murder thirty-five years ago, gave a new trial.

A powder mill at Mulden, near Amsterdam, was blown up. Two bodies have already been recovered, and several persons are missing.

Robert A. Lott, a resident of Hill, Mo., has fallen heir to \$900,000 by the death of John Bennett of Las Vegas, N. M., whose life he once saved.

At a meeting of the Labor Union of Indianapolis, the labor signal of Indianapolis was organized of laborers, and the signal was adopted.

Miss Miller, a school teacher, was attacked by a tramp at Columbia City, Ind. The tramp was taken to the hospital.

Congressman Hutchinson of Galveston, Tex., has been held guilty of the charges of immorality brought by Lawyer Curtis Pritchard and Farlow Shreve.

Frank Floyd and Philip Schlegel were arrested on landing at Southampton, charged with defrauding a Minneapolis bank.

Four prisoners made a bold attempt to escape from the county jail at Dayton, Ohio, but were overpowered by the jailers.

E. Eggleston of Kewanee, Ill., was arrested at Galesburg on a charge of forging a number of checks. He is held in \$1,000.

Andrew Anderson, while fighting with his brother at Paducah, Ky., accidentally stabbed to the heart Leon Holland, a man who was with him. He was killed.

Chairman Robinson was sentenced to three years imprisonment at Leavenworth, for the attempt to rob the Valeriano normal school. His brother was also sentenced, and the time the robbery was committed.

Three men who had stolen fishing nets belonging to William Farrow at Fresno, Cal., were sentenced to three years imprisonment at Leavenworth. The two other thieves were sentenced to one year.

Profratton, who murdered Mabel Swartz in 1891 at Des Moines, Iowa, and who has served but twenty months of his twenty-year sentence, will have only one year more to serve, the judge having changed the sentence on the decision of the supreme court that the evidence indicated only manslaughter.

European governments take concerted action against the anarchists. A plot of anarchists to blow up the Madrid house is discovered.

An American citizen, a nephew of the president of the United States, is imprisoned in Cuba with no apparent cause. It is said that a plot is being formed in England to assist Mello in his rebellion.

The new revolution in Cuba, it is claimed, will result disastrously for Spain. Mr. George, the Servian minister to France, was stabbed by a crank in a Paris restaurant. He will recover.

Ben Ryans, a well known English bookmaker, was dragged at a Liverpool police station by a woman who had been arrested for a crime.

The grand duke Vladimir, brother of the czar, has arrived at Berlin. He will reside at the new palace at Potsdam.

It is said Count Kalkovsky's visit to King Humbert of Italy is in connection with the proposed marriage of the crown prince of Italy with an Austrian archduchess.

The British steamship Wondra, from Calcutta to New York, was wrecked near Norfolk, Va. The ship was carrying a large cargo of goods.

Mrs. J. Roosevelt, wife of the secretary of the United States embassy and daughter of the late President, is dead. She has been ill since late in October.

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## ON THE HAWAIIAN AFFAIR

MR. BLOUNT'S REPORT GIVEN OUT FOR PUBLICATION.

As Previously stated Minister Stevens is Secured for His Part in the Hawaiian Revolution—The Minister Replies in an Interview.

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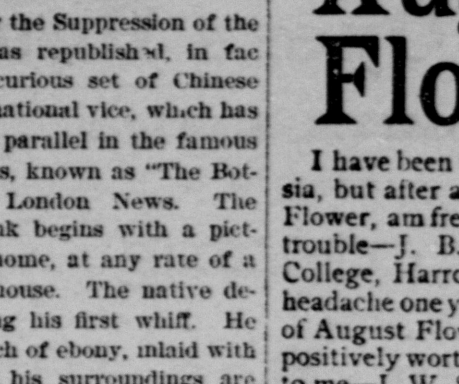
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### Local News Notes.

Dr. Niven Nov. 29 and 30.  
The new N. P. car shops are fast  
nearing completion.

Smith Gray has opened a meat mar-  
ket in East Brainerd.

Mrs. G. F. Watson is in the city  
from Duluth visiting her mother.

P. Walters will furnish the Grand  
Rapids people with ice next summer.

M. G. Holmes has gone to Sacra-  
mento, Cal., to permanently locate.

Alex Van Praag, the rustling cigar  
man from Little Falls, was in the city  
on Tuesday.

You don't want to overlook the  
grand ball on Thursday evening next  
by Hope Hose Co. No. 1.

Secretary Wood, of the Y. M. C. A.,  
on Monday evening sent in his resig-  
nation to take effect Dec. 17th.

A bouncing baby boy made his ap-  
pearance at the residence of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. J. Frost on Tuesday morning.

Our Gull River neighbors are to  
have a grand ball at that place on  
Thanksgiving night in Columbian  
hall.

On Thursday evening there will be  
union Thanksgiving service at the  
Presbyterian church, Rev. Edwards  
delivering the address.

The finest possible work with the  
least possible pain at the lowest pos-  
sible prices. This is Dr. Niven's motto.  
At the Arlington Nov. 29 & 30.

The Brainerd pugilist, James Mc-  
Elroy, is pictured in this week's Police  
Gazette, but he is credited to Little  
Falls. This is a serious mistake.

The S. B. Hitt garden farm is now  
the property of John Brockway, that  
gentleman having recently exchanged  
his Fourth street residence property  
for it.

The bazaar and supper at the rink  
on Wednesday evening by the ladies  
of the Congregational church was a  
very successful affair and about \$125  
was realized.

The east bound Duluth train now  
leaves here at 3:40 a. m. instead of  
8:15. The change in the new time  
card does not materially affect the  
time of the other trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall are home  
from their eastern visit. Mr. Hall  
having been gone two months and Mrs.  
Hall all summer. After an absence  
of 28 years they found many changes  
at the old home.

One of the coming events is the  
Germania Maennerchor masquerade  
ball which will take place Jan. 23.  
This is the seventh annual ball given  
by that society and each one has been  
a social success.

Miss Lou White was given a very  
enjoyable surprise party on Tuesday  
evening at the residence of C. B.  
White on Norwood street, by her  
many Brainerd friends. Dancing  
and cards were indulged in, and the  
evening was very pleasantly passed.

A. S. McMillan, of the Wadena  
Journal, was a caller Tuesday. Mr.  
McMillan has recently moved his  
newspaper plant from Verndale to  
Wadena, and already is enjoying a  
good business there, and there is one  
point in his favor, and that is that he  
has one of the most complete printing  
establishments in northern Minn-  
nesota.

The first real snow storm of the  
season occurred on Tuesday and for a  
time during the evening it looked as if  
we were to have a real old fashioned  
Minnesota blizzard but the storm abated  
towards morning after about four  
inches of snow had fallen. Street  
car service was not materially inter-  
fered with although Supt. Parker was  
out nearly all night with a force of  
men keeping the track open.

Louis Stollman has sold the build-  
ing occupied by himself as a barber  
shop on Sixth street to A. Olson, the  
tailor, and will remove to a location  
on Fifth street near Front on Monday  
of next week. In the new business  
place Thos. Wicks, for some time past  
connected with him in the tonsorial  
business, will be taken into partner-  
ship. Mr. Olson will occupy his new  
building with his tailoring business  
at once.

The Columbian ice rink at the north  
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## To Be or Not to Be.

A tempest in a teapot is brewing  
over the removal of the post-office  
from its present location to a room in  
the A. G. Gallup building on 7th  
street. Wm. Durkin, the postmaster,  
informs the Dispatch that he has re-  
ceived positive orders from the post-  
office department at Washington to  
move into the new quarters Decem-  
ber 1st. As far as the Washington  
officials are personally concerned, the  
location might be at the dam for all  
they care, so the orders to move must  
have been given for someone's bene-  
fit here. It is stated also that a pe-  
tition for the removal was circulated  
and signed, but who it was signed by  
is unknown to the writer. A remon-  
strance, directed to Major Baldwin,  
was being circulated and largely  
signed yesterday, which will at once  
be sent in to Washington, for the re-  
tention of the office in its present lo-  
cation, for a time at least, the docu-  
ment setting forth the inconveniences  
and conveniences of the two places.

While the post-office location, as  
far as this paper is concerned, doesn't  
cut much figure as long as it is with-  
in reasonable distance in either direc-  
tion, we think that if a move is con-  
templated all the people should be  
consulted, and its location mutually  
considered. Ever since it was taken  
from the room in the bank block on  
6th street, there has been ill feeling,  
and we believe that nine-tenths of the  
business men in the city would wil-  
lingly sign a petition to have it placed  
back where it started from on its  
wanderings some six or seven years  
ago. Neither the place where it is  
now nor the new quarters proposed,  
will ever be satisfactory to all.

In the meantime you can get your  
mail in the Slipp-Atterton block, but  
keep your eye on the mail carrier.

Thanksgiving Service.  
The union Thanksgiving service  
will be held at the Presbyterian  
Church at 7:30 p. m. next Thursday.

It is thought that the change of time  
from the morning to the evening will  
make it more convenient for business  
men and wives who have to look after  
the turkey and plum pudding.

The sermon will be preached by Rev. T.  
Merrill Edmunds. It is expected that  
incidentally Mr. Edmunds will touch  
upon the Catholic question and Ameri-  
canism.

G. W. Ingraham, formerly of this  
city, is building a 75 room hotel at  
Jamestown, N. D.

Judge Chipperfield united Nils  
Edwards and Miss Anna Jansen in  
marriage on Wednesday.

There will be preaching Sunday  
morning in the Baptist church, and  
song service in the evening.

Rev. C. H. Moxie will preach in the  
Baptist Church Sunday the 26th.  
Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The Grand Rapids Magnet says R.  
M. Stitt has returned to that place  
from Brainerd to complete his log-  
ging operations.

The rooms in the Sleeper block to  
be occupied by Henry I. Cohen are  
being thoroughly remodeled, plate  
glass being placed in front, and other  
improvements made necessary for the  
convenience of a first-class establish-  
ment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck mourn  
the loss of their eight year old child,  
Darwin, who died on Thursday night  
of heart disease. Funeral services  
will be held on Sunday afternoon at  
3 o'clock from the Swedish Lutheran  
church. Rev. A. R. Vallquist, officiat-  
ing.

A society called the Minister's As-  
sociation was recently organized here  
with Rev. T. M. Edmunds as presi-  
dent, Rev. G. H. Davis, vice president,  
and Rev. Geo. West secretary. The  
association will meet every Sunday  
morning at the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

The Masonic and Pythian fraterni-  
ties of Brainerd have issued invita-  
tions for their opening entertainment  
and uniform ball in their new lodge  
room, Columbian block, on Friday  
evening, Dec. 8. Elaborate prepara-  
tions have been made for an enjoya-  
ble event.—Little Falls Transcript.

A man named Perry Roderwald  
while stopping at the house of a friend  
near the saw mill fell dead of  
heart disease on Sunday evening.  
Deceased was 40 years of age and had  
no relatives in this country as far as  
known. The corner was called but no  
inquest held, the burial occurring on  
Tuesday.

The members of the Northern Pa-  
cific Library Association will celebrate  
their eighth anniversary with a  
grand ball to be held in Columbian  
hall on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd.  
During the past year the library has  
been improved by the addition of a  
number of the latest and best me-  
chanical works and it is the desire of  
the board of directors to still further in-  
crease the usefulness of the associa-  
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### Their Thirteenth Anniversary.

Friday last was the thirteenth an-  
niversary of the wedding of Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred S. Parker, and a number  
of their friends concluded that a sur-  
prise would be the proper thing to  
celebrate the occasion. Accordingly  
the party assembled, to the number  
of twenty-five, at the residence of Mrs.  
Ditmar, and proceeded to the Parker  
residence at 9 o'clock. So closely  
had the arrangements been guarded  
that Mr. Parker and his estimable  
wife were completely surprised when  
the party invaded their household  
unannounced and took possession.  
After greetings were exchanged the  
company enjoyed themselves at cards  
until luncheon was served, the guests  
not forgetting to bring a goodly sup-  
ply of refreshments with them. Dur-  
ing the evening a cut glass water ser-  
vice was presented to Mr. and Mrs.  
Parker by the friends assembled.  
Judge Fleming making the presenta-  
tion remarks, which were feelingly  
responded to by Mr. Parker. The  
guests departed at 1 o'clock after hav-  
ing passed a very enjoyable evening,  
and wishing their hosts long life and  
many recurrences of the pleasant oc-  
casion. Among those present were:  
Mr. and Mrs. John Nevers, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. S.  
F. Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spald-  
ing, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Snyder, Mr.  
and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll, Mr. and  
Mrs. D. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gif-  
ford, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Forsyth, Mrs.  
Fannie Smith, Miss Bessie Mulrine,  
Miss Amy Lowrey, W. S. McClellan  
and Dr. J. L. Camp.

You are especially invited to call  
at Veon's, in Gardner's block, and ex-  
amine his jewelry and get his profit-  
shaving prices. Do not forget about  
this.

### Regular Council Meeting.

The city council met in regular ses-  
sion on Monday evening with Presi-  
dent Williamson and Ald. McMurtry,  
Parker and Anderson absent. The  
minutes were adopted and the clerk's  
financial report for October was read  
and adopted. The following claims  
against the city were allowed and or-  
dered paid:

Slipp Bros, supplies..... \$33.87  
Koop Bros, wood..... 111.25  
C. B. White, supplies..... 25.70  
S. A. Wood, oak lumber..... 71.67  
Joe Baker, work..... 8.75  
M. L. Swartz, supplies..... 8.85  
R. M. Maloney, drayage..... 3.25  
J. A. Martin, work..... 3.00  
John Britton, drayage..... 2.75  
Katz Bros, supplies..... 1.00  
Jno. King, drayage..... .75  
P. G. Fogelstrom, work..... 12.50  
Wm. Barron, police whistle..... 5.00  
F. A. Farrar, express..... .55  
Masonic Journal, signs..... 1.50  
Tribune, advertising..... 9.70  
J. Hall, hay and stove..... 8.63  
Geo. Gordon, labor..... .75  
Eles. Eng. Co..... 79.12  
Felix Graham..... 1.27

Bill of J. J. Howe & Co. of \$46.37  
was referred to committee.

Transcript of judgment of Mary  
Andrews against the City of Brainerd  
for \$631.37 was referred to finance  
committee.

Motion carried that an order for  
\$420 be drawn in favor of R. H.  
Paine in payment for railroad fare.

The matter of fixing up a place to  
drop hose on in the Fourth ward hose  
house was referred to the fire com-  
mittee with power to act.

Report of electric light committee  
recommending the appointment of  
W. Percy as second engineer at the  
electric light station be confirmed,  
was read and adopted.

Report of committee in regard to  
the communication of J. N. True and  
bill of \$41.00 against Wm. Barron  
and the City of Brainerd, recommend-  
ing that it be referred to the mayor,  
was adopted.

The mayor was instructed to en-  
force ordinance No. 113 in regard to  
peddlars license.

Motion made and carried that the  
matter of repairs needed at the dam  
be referred to the electric light com-  
mittee with power to act.

Resolution in regard to the pay-  
ment of electric light rentals, making  
it the duty of consumers to pay dues  
at the city clerk's office and if not  
paid by the 10th of the month to shut  
them off, also for clerk to collect  
\$1.00 for turning lights on when they  
have been shut off for non payment,  
was read and adopted.

The matter of filling in well at the  
corner of Tenth and Quince streets  
was referred to committee with power  
to act.

Council then adjourned.

The council called for the installa-  
tion of Rev. T. Merrill Edmunds as  
pastor of the First Congregational  
church of this city, met Tuesday af-  
ternoon at 3 o'clock. Those present  
were Revs. G. A. Merrill, of Minneap-  
olis, W. C. A. Wallen, of Duluth, E.  
Cary, of Wadena, Wm. Moore, of Lit-  
tle Falls, and Mrs. W. R. Baumbach,  
delegata from Wadena. A. S. Mc-  
Millan was also present from Wadena.  
A statement of belief was given by  
Rev. Edmunds, followed by questions  
by the council. Owing to the storm  
the audience in the evening was  
small, but those present richly en-  
joyed the sermon by Rev. Geo. R.  
Merrill and the other exercises.

Read our advertisement about the  
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thing in stock offered at ACTUAL  
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crochery, lamps, furniture, carpets,  
wall paper and everything else in that  
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meet the bad times.

Largest line of children's shoes at  
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Subscribe for the DISPATCH. All  
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A large stock of pipes are being  
discounted out at less than cost at C. H.  
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### Dr. Niven

Will be at the Arlington Hotel Nov.  
29 & 30. Don't be having your teeth  
pulled. There's  
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Niven's Noid's  
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plied to the gums and your feel no  
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Low prices and warranted work.

### Elected Officers.

The following is a list of the newly  
elected officers of Brainerd Lodge No.  
47, A. O. U. W.:  
P. M. W.—A. E. Pernell.  
Master Workman—Otto Reinhardt.  
Foreman—T. R. Wicks.  
Treasurer—M. Johnson.  
Recorder—W. E. Enfrikon.  
Financier—Chas. A. Banks.  
Receiver—J. T. Sanborn.  
Guide—J. Molstad.  
Inside Watch—Mons. Mahlum.  
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Trustee for 3 years.—John Willis.

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The Wadena Pioneer has the fol-  
lowing to say of C. E. Lum, a brother  
of County Attorney Lum of this  
city:

The many readers of the Pioneer  
to-day will be surprised to learn that  
Dr. C. E. Lum has sold his practice  
and office furniture to Dr. McKinnon,  
of Minneapolis, and on January 1st  
will leave Wadena for New York,  
where he will take a two years course  
in one of the medical institutions of that  
city. His host of friends and ac-  
quaintances in Wadena and vicinity  
will regret to learn this, as Dr. Lum  
is looked upon as one of the most suc-  
cessful physicians and surgeons in  
Northern Minnesota, and his practice  
extends to all of the small villages  
and towns within a radius of 25 or 30  
miles of Wadena. There are few  
country physicians who enjoy his in-  
come, few who have been more suc-  
cessful in their practice, and none who  
have more friends and well-wishers  
than Dr. Lum. The doctor came to  
Wadena about seven years ago, suc-  
ceeding to the practice of Dr. Crom-  
bitt, and for several years operated  
the drug store now owned by Knight  
& Whipple. He is the local surgeon  
of the Northern Pacific railroad, and  
as a surgeon he stands high in the  
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ing to their customers—a ticket on a  
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### Thanksgiving Day.

That the war for the Union accom-  
plished more things than the abolition  
of slavery, is only one of the many in-  
stances in which causes have pro-  
duced effects not anticipated. The  
best thing the war did for us was to  
make us a nation. Daniel Webster  
said "I know no North, no South, no  
East, no West," but he stood almost  
alone. Now there is a year by year less  
talk about the special interest any of  
"section;" we are becoming one peo-  
ple. One of the best evidences of the  
decay of sectionalism is the almost  
universal observance of Thankgiv-  
ing Day. Before the war, it was  
looked upon in the South and West  
as a "Yankee institution;" now the  
President of the United States and the  
Governors of most of the states  
recommend its observance by formal  
proclamation. It is a great day for  
home-gathering. Do you intend to  
meet the brothers and sisters next  
week at the home of your childhood?  
If you are anywhere west of Chicago,  
the best route to the old homestead,  
be it North, South, East or West, is  
the Burlington Route, which goes  
everywhere. For tickets and any in-  
formation, ask your local agent, or  
write to W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass.  
St. Paul, Minn.

Have your photograph taken at  
McColl's studio, over the postoffice.  
Our finest cabinets \$4 per dozen.

One dollar left with J. F. McGinnis  
& Co. will get you an honest \$1.00  
worth of goods and a ticket on that  
beautiful \$35 sideboard.

We have skates in all sizes styles  
and at prices to suit all customers.  
See us before buying.

C. B. WHITE.

The latest novelties in Gents neck-  
wear at J. F. McGinnis & Co.'s  
Horses, cows, ponies, wagons, bug-  
gies and harnesses for sale on time at  
Hoffman's



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J. R. SMITH, Manager.

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Also Skates, Glass, Rope, Tools of all  
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wagon shop work of all kinds done  
promptly. Call on us.

I U. WHITE, Manager.  
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REGULAR MEALS 25CTS.

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Meals cooked to order at  
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keep a Full Line of Fine Toilet Soaps.

Our stock of PERFUMERY is the largest and most complete in the City.

ALL KINDS OF PATENT MEDICINES.  
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### Local News Notes.

Dr. Niven Nov. 29 and 30.

The new N. P. car shops are fast  
nearing completion.

Smith Gray has opened a meat mar-  
ket in East Brainerd.

Mrs. G. F. Watson is in the city  
from Duluth visiting her mother.

P. Walters will furnish the Grand  
Rapids people with ice next summer.

M. G. Holmes has gone to Sacra-  
mento, Cal., to permanently locate.

Alex Van Praag, the rustling cigar  
man from Little Falls, was in the city  
on Tuesday.

You don't want to overlook the  
grand ball on Thursday evening next  
by Hope Hose Co. No. 1.

Secretary Wood, of the Y. M. C. A.,  
on Monday evening sent in his resig-  
nation to take effect Dec. 17th.

A bouncing baby boy made his ap-  
pearance at the residence of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. J. Frost on Tuesday morning.

Our Gull River neighbors are to  
have a grand ball at that place on  
Thanksgiving night in Columbian hall.

On Thursday evening there will be  
union Thanksgiving service at the  
Presbyterian church, Rev. Edwards  
delivering the address.

The finest possible work with the  
least possible pain at the lowest pos-  
sible prices. This is Dr. Niven's motto.  
At the Arlington Nov. 29 & 30.

The Brainerd pugilist, James Mc-  
Elroy, is pictured in this week's Police  
Gazette, but he is credited to Little  
Falls. This is a serious mistake.

The S. B. Hitt garden farm is now  
the property of John Brockway, that  
gentleman having recently exchanged  
his Fourth street residence property  
for it.

The bazaar and supper at the rink  
on Wednesday evening by the ladies  
of the Congregational church was a  
very successful affair and about \$125  
was realized.

The east bound Duluth train now  
leaves here at 3:40 a. m. instead of  
8:15. The change in the new time  
card does not materially affect the  
time of the other trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall are home  
from their eastern visit. Mr. Hall  
having been gone two months and Mrs.  
Hall all summer. After an absence  
of 28 years they found many changes  
at the old home.

One of the coming events is the  
Germania Masonic lodge masquerade  
ball which will take place Jan. 23.  
This is the seventh annual ball given  
by that society and each one has been  
a social success.

Miss Lou White was given a very  
enjoyable surprise party on Tuesday  
evening at the residence of C. B.  
White on Norwood street, by her  
many Brainerd friends. Dancing  
and cards were indulged in, and the  
evening was very pleasantly passed.

A. S. McMillan, of the Wadena  
Journal, was a caller Tuesday. Mr.  
McMillan has recently moved his  
newspaper plant from Verdala to  
Wadena, and already is enjoying a  
good business there, and there is one  
point in his favor, and that is that he  
has one of the most complete printing  
establishments in northern Min-  
nesota.

The first real snow storm of the  
season occurred on Tuesday and for a  
time during the evening it looked as if  
we were to have a real old fashioned  
Minnesota blizzard but the storm abated  
towards morning after about four  
inches of snow had fallen. Street  
car service was not materially inter-  
fered with although Supt. Parker was  
out nearly all night with a force of  
men keeping the track open.

Louis Stallman has sold the build-  
ing occupied by himself as a barber  
shop on Sixth street to A. Olson, the  
tailor, and will remove to a location  
on Fifth street near Front on Monday  
of next week. In the new business  
place Thos. Wicks, for some time past  
connected with him in the tonorial  
business, will be taken into partner-  
ship. Mr. Olson will occupy his new  
building with his tailoring business  
at once.

The Columbian ice rink at the north  
end of the electric car line, will be  
ready to commence business by  
Thanksgiving, so we are informed by  
Mr. J. C. Gauvin the proprietor. Sea-  
son tickets can be procured from him,  
at the power house, or of Fred S.  
Parker, the price having been fixed  
at \$3 for gents, and \$2 for ladies.  
These tickets entitle the holders to  
the privileges of the rink at any time  
during the skating season, which at  
the Columbian rink promises to be a  
very merry one during the coming  
winter months.

A telegram from Staples to the  
Evening Journal says that a travel-  
ing agent of the Equitable Life In-  
surance Company, finding business  
dull, started on an spiritual manifes-  
tations, with the result that Dr. A. S.  
Ellis, of that place, has gone crazy  
and has been sent to an asylum. Two  
or three more people are badly  
wrought up and mentally unstrung.  
The people were so indignant at the  
"medium" that he was warned to  
leave town, and fearing violence, he  
took the midnight train for Fargo.  
The said affair has cast a gloom over  
Staples. Dr. Ellis was a very popular  
doctor and citizen, and was liked  
by all.

I have too large a stock and I  
will give you the benefit. I will sell for  
CASH any five or ten cent cigar by  
the box at actual cost. This stock is  
composed of some of the best brands  
in the market.  
DAVENPORT'S OLD CORNER STORE,  
Cor. 6th and Front St.  
Pipes at cost at C. H. Paine's.

To Be or Not to Be.  
A tempest in a teapot is brewing  
over the removal of the post-office  
from its present location to a room in  
the A. G. Gallup building on 7th  
street. Wm. Durham, the postmaster,  
informs the Dispatch that he has re-  
ceived positive orders from the post-  
office department at Washington to  
move into the new quarters Decem-  
ber 1st. As far as the Washington  
officials are personally concerned, the  
location might be at the dam for all  
they care, so the orders to move must  
have been given for someone's bene-  
fit here. It is stated also that a pe-  
tition for the removal was circulated  
and signed, but who it was signed by  
is unknown to the writer. A remon-  
strance, directed to Major Baldwin,  
was being circulated and largely  
signed yesterday, which will at once  
be sent in to Washington, for the re-  
tention of the office in its present lo-  
cation, for a time at least, the docu-  
ment setting forth the inconveniences  
and conveniences of the two places.

While the post-office location, as  
far as this paper is concerned, doesn't  
cut much figure as long as it is with-  
in reasonable distance in either direc-  
tion, we think that if a move is con-  
templated all the people should be  
consulted, and its location mutually  
considered. Ever since it was taken  
from the room in the bank block on  
6th street, there has been ill feeling,  
and we believe that nine-tenths of the  
business men in the city would wil-  
lingly sign a petition to have it placed  
back where it started from on its  
wanderings some six or seven years  
ago. Neither the place where it is  
now nor the new quarters proposed,  
will ever be satisfactory to all.

In the meantime you can get your  
mail in the Slipp-Altherton block, but  
keep your eye on the mail carrier.

Thanksgiving Service.  
The union Thanksgiving service  
will be held at the Presbyterian  
Church at 7:30 p. m. next Thursday.  
It is thought that the change of time  
from the morning to the evening will  
make it more convenient for business  
men and wives who have to look after  
the turkey and plum pudding. The  
sermon will be preached by Rev. T.  
Merrill Edmunds. It is expected that  
incidentally Mr. Edmunds will touch  
upon the Catholic question and Ameri-  
canism.

G. W. Ingraham, formerly of this  
city, is building a 75 room hotel at  
Jamestown, N. D.

Judge Chipperfield united Nils  
Edwards and Miss Anna Jansen in  
marriage on Wednesday.

There will be preaching Sunday  
morning in the Baptist church, and  
song service in the evening.

Rev. C. H. Moxie will preach in the  
Baptist Church Sunday the 26th.  
Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The Grand Rapids Magnet says R.  
M. Stitt has returned to that place  
from Brainerd to complete his log-  
ging operations.

The rooms in the Sleeper block to  
be occupied by Henry I. Cohen are  
being thoroughly remodeled, plate  
glass being placed in front, and other  
improvements made necessary for the  
convenience of a first-class establish-  
ment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck mourn  
the loss of their eight year old child,  
Darwin, who died on Thursday night  
of heart disease. Funeral services  
will be held on Sunday afternoon at  
3 o'clock from the Swedish Lutheran  
church. Rev. A. R. Vallquist, officiat-  
ing.

A society called the Minister's As-  
sociation was recently organized here  
with Rev. T. M. Edmunds as presi-  
dent, Rev. G. H. Davis, vice president,  
and Rev. Geo. West, secretary. The  
association will meet every Sunday  
morning at the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

The Masonic and Pythian frat-  
ernities of Brainerd have issued in-  
vitations for their opening entertainment  
and uniform ball in their new lodge  
room, Columbian block, on Friday  
evening, Dec. 8. Elaborate prepara-  
tions have been made for an enjoy-  
able event.—Little Falls Transcript.

A man named Perry Roderick  
while stopping at the house of a friend  
near the saw mill fell down of  
heart disease on Sunday evening.  
Deceased was 40 years of age and had  
no relatives in this country as far as  
known. The corner was called but no  
request held, the burial occurring on  
Tuesday.

The members of the Northern Pa-  
cific Library Association will celebrate  
their eighth anniversary with a  
grand ball to be held in Columbian  
hall on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd.  
During the past year the library has  
been improved by the addition of a  
number of the latest and best me-  
chanical works and it is the desire of  
the board of directors to still further  
increase the usefulness of the associa-  
tion by the addition of more new  
books from the best authors during  
the incoming year. Tickets are now  
on sale at \$1.00 each, and all are cor-  
dially invited.

A telegram from Morrison, Ill., on  
Saturday announced that Charles An-  
drews, proprietor of the Andrews  
Opera Company, traveling in their  
own private parlor car, met a horrible  
death there that day. Andrews  
stepped from one railroad track to  
another to avoid a west bound freight  
train, when the east bound Omaha  
express struck him, throwing him  
under the freight train, where his body  
was ground to pieces. It will be re-  
membered that Mr. Andrews' wife  
and maid were burned to death at  
Jonestown, east of Brainerd, in Janu-  
ary, 1892, in a railroad disaster. His  
only child, Bessie Andrews, died two  
months ago at Mankato, of diphtheria.

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Their Thirteenth Anniversary.

Friday last was the thirteenth anni-  
versary of the wedding of Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred S. Parker, and a number  
of their friends concluded that a sur-  
prise would be the proper thing to  
celebrate the occasion. Accordingly  
the party assembled, to the number  
of twenty-five, at the residence of Mrs.  
Ditmar, and proceeded to the Parker  
residence at 9 o'clock. So closely  
had the arrangements been guarded,  
that Mr. Parker and his estimable  
wife were completely surprised when  
the party invaded their household  
unannounced and took possession.  
After greetings were exchanged the  
company enjoyed themselves at cards  
until luncheon was served, the guests  
not forgetting to bring a goodly sup-  
ply of refreshments with them. Dur-  
ing the evening a cut glass water ser-  
vice was presented to Mr. and Mrs.  
Parker by the friends assembled.  
Judge Fleming making the presenta-  
tion remarks, which were feelingly  
responded to by Mr. Parker. The  
guests departed at 10 o'clock after hav-  
ing passed a very enjoyable evening,  
and wishing their hosts long life and  
many recurrences of the pleasant oc-  
casion. Among those present were:  
Mr. and Mrs. John Nevers, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. S.  
F. Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spald-  
ing, Mr. and Mrs. A. Snyder, Mr.  
and Mrs. N. H. Ingerson, Mr. and  
Mrs. D. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gif-  
ford, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Forsyth, Mr.  
Fannie Smith, Miss Bessie Mulrine,  
Miss Amy Lowry, W. S. McClellan and  
Dr. J. L. Camp.

You are especially invited to call  
at Veon's, in Gardner's block, and ex-  
amine his jewelry and get his profit-  
shaving prices. Do not forget about  
this.

Regular Council Meeting.  
The city council met in regular ses-  
sion on Monday evening with Presi-  
dent Williamson and Ald. McMurtry,  
Parker and Anderson absent. The  
minutes were adopted and the clerk's  
financial report for October was read  
and adopted. The following claims  
against the city were allowed and or-  
dered paid:

Slipp Bros, supplies.....	\$33.87
Koop Bros, wood.....	111.25
C. B. White, supplies.....	25.70
S. A. Wood, oak lumber.....	71.67
Joe Baker, work.....	8.75
M. L. Swartz, supplies.....	8.85
M. Maloney, drayage.....	3.25
J. A. Martin, work.....	3.00
John Britton, drayage.....	2.75
Katz Bros, supplies.....	1.00
Jno. King, drayage.....	.75
P. G. Fogelstrom, work.....	12.50
Wm. Barron, police whistle.....	5.00
F. A. Farrar, express.....	.55
Brainerd Journal, signs.....	1.50
Tribune, advertising.....	.90
Geo. Gordon, labor.....	8.63
Elce Eng. Co.....	79.12
Felix Graham.....	1.27
Bill of J. J. Howe & Co. of \$46.37 was referred to committee.	

Transcript of judgment of Mary  
Andrews against the City of Brainerd  
for \$631.37 was referred to finance  
committee.

Motion carried that an order for  
\$420 be drawn in favor of R. H.  
Paine in payment for railroad fare.

The matter of fixing up a place to  
dry hose on in the Fourth ward hose  
house was referred to the fire com-  
mittee with power to act.

Report of electric light committee  
recommending the appointment of  
W. Percy as second engineer at the  
electric light station be confirmed,  
was read and adopted.

Report of committee in regard to  
the communication of J. N. True and  
bill of \$41.60 against Wm. Barron  
and the City of Brainerd, recommend-  
ing that it be referred to the mayor,  
was adopted.

The mayor was instructed to en-  
force ordinance No. 113 in regard to  
peddlars' license.

Motion made and carried that the  
matter of repairs needed at the dam  
be referred to the electric light com-  
mittee with power to act.

Resolution in regard to the pay-  
ment of electric light rentals, making  
it the duty of consumers to pay dues  
at the city clerk's office and if not  
paid by the 10th of the month to shut  
them off, also for clerk to collect  
\$1.00 for turning lights on when they  
have been shut off for non payment,  
was read and adopted.

The matter of filling in well at the  
corner of Tenth and Quince streets  
was referred to committee with power  
to act.

Council then adjourned.

The council called for the installa-  
tion of Rev. T. Merrill Edmunds as  
pastor of the First Congregational  
church of this city, met Tuesday af-  
ternoon at 3 o'clock. Those present  
were Revs. G. A. Merrill, of Duluth,  
O. W. C. A. Wallen, of Duluth, E.  
Cary, of Wadena, Wm. Moore, of Lit-  
tle Falls, and Mrs. W. R. Baumbach,  
delegate from Wadena. A. S. Mc-  
Millan was also present from Wadena.

A statement of belief was given by  
Rev. Edmunds, followed by questions  
by the council. Owing to the storm  
the audience in the evening was  
small, but those present richly en-  
joyed the sermon by Rev. Geo. R.  
Merrill and the other exercises.

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thing in stock offered at ACTUAL  
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plied to the gums and you feel no  
pain. Dentistry in all branches.  
Low prices and warranted work.

Elected Officers.

The following is a list of the newly  
elected officers of Brainerd Lodge No.  
47, A. O. U. W.:

P. M. W.—A. E. Pennell.  
Master Workman—Otto Reinhardt.  
Foreman—T. R. Wicks.  
Overseer—T. M. Johnson.  
Recorder—W. E. Eutiken.  
Financial—Chas. A. Banks.  
Reverend—J. T. Sanborn.  
Guide—J. Molstad.  
Inside Watch—Mons. Mahlum.  
Outside Watch—P. M. Zakariassen.  
Trustee for 3 years—John Willis.

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The Wadena Pioneer has the fol-  
lowing to say of C. E. Lum, a bro-  
ther of County Attorney Lum of this  
city:

The many readers of the Pioneer  
to-day will be surprised to learn that  
Dr. C. E. Lum has sold his practice  
and office furniture to Dr. McKinnon  
of Minneapolis, and on January 1st  
will leave Wadena for New York,  
where he will take a two years course  
in one of the medical institutions of that  
city. His host of friends and ac-  
quaintances in Wadena and vicinity  
will regret to learn this, as Dr. Lum  
is looked upon as one of the most suc-  
cessful physicians and surgeons in  
Northern Minnesota, and his practice  
extends to all of the small villages  
and towns within a radius of 25 or 30  
miles of Wadena. There are few  
country physicians who enjoy his in-  
come. Few who have been more suc-  
cessful in their practice, and none who  
have more friends and well-wishers  
than Dr. Lum. The doctor came to  
Wadena about seven years ago, suc-  
ceeding to the practice of Dr. Crom-  
ett, and for several years operated  
the drug store now owned by Knight  
& Whipple. He is the local surgeon  
of the Northern Pacific railroad, and  
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Picture frames and pictures to  
frame, a large variety, and fine goods  
at McCall's.

DO YOU WANT TO SAVE  
MONEY? Buy your DRY GOODS OF  
HENRY I. COHEN.

500 Cords of Wood.  
Bids will be received for 500 cords  
of green jack pine wood to be de-  
livered at N. P. Foundry. Bids will  
be received until Nov. 10th.

For a Stewart surface burner, Hor-  
ventilating base burner, or Monitor  
wood parlor heater of the latest and  
most approved pattern, call at D. M.  
Clark & Co's store and inspect their  
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A large stock of pipes are being  
closed out at less than cost at C. H.  
Paine's.

If you want fine artistic job work  
leave your order with the DISPATCH.  
Our work is unexcelled.

## Extraordinary Announcement

# SPECIAL REMOVAL SALE.

We Advertise Herewith a

We shall remove from our present location to the store  
in the Sleeper Block on or about the last of December.  
Prior to that time, it is necessary for us to

## Reduce our Stock.

We shall therefore make this unusual offer: Our entire  
stock is offered to the public, without reserve,

# AT COST!

Commencing Saturday of this week we will sell all of our  
FLANNELS, UNDERWEAR, NOTIONS, LINENS, DRY  
GOODS, PRINTS, GINGHAMS, BLANKETS, QUILTS,  
BLANKETS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, Etc.

## At Actual Cost for Cash.

In order to include all we shall also sell the entire stock of

# CLOAKS AT COST.

We will sell you a Cloak at just what it costs from















**Sleeper Opera House!**  
J. R. SMITH, Manager.  
**Coming,**  
**Tuesday, Dec. 12th,**  
The Eminent Comedian—  
**JOHN DILLON.**  
Popular Prices.

**C. B. WHITE,**  
**CONTARCTOR & BUILDER**  
This is What We Carry:  
Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Wood  
Stock and  
**Builders' Hardware,**  
Also Skates, Glass, Rope, Tools of all  
Kinds, Guns, Ammunition, Sporting  
Goods, Cutlery, hand sleds. Sled and  
wagon shop work of all kinds done  
promptly. Call on us.  
**I U. WHITE, Manager.**  
**No. 32 Laurel St.**

**Sanborn's RESTAURANT.**  
CITY HOTEL, 40 FRONT STREET.  
REGULAR MEALS 25CTS.  
[BOARD \$4.00 PER WEEK.  
Meals cooked to order at  
any time, Day or Night, at  
VERY reasonable prices.

**KATZ BROS.,**  
—DEALER IN—  
**STOVES AND TINWARE,**  
Shelf Hardware, Nails, Etc.  
New store just opened at McColl's Old Stand on 7th Street. New Stock  
LOW PRICES and Fair Dealing.  
Great Bargains in Cooking Stoves.  
Call and See Us.

**THE UNION**  
**BI-CHLORIDE OF GOLD CO.**  
Of Brainerd, Minn.  
Cale Block, Front Street.  
**W. J. BAIN, Manager.**

**For The Cure Of**  
**The Liquor Habit**  
**OPIUM AND TOBACCO.**  
Correspondence Solicited. Our business  
is carried on in a Strictly Confidential  
Manner.

**HAGBERG & LAGERQUIST**  
Wholesale and retail  
**GROCERS,**  
HAS A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF  
Staple & Fancy Groceries, Flour  
Feed, Provisions, Etc.  
HAGBERG & LAGERQUIST.  
Odd Fellows' Block.

**C. D. JOHNSON,**  
**DRUGGIST**  
Keep a Full Line of Fine Toilet Soaps.  
Our stock of PERFUMERY is the largest and most complete in the City.  
ALL KINDS OF PATENT MEDICINES.  
Stationery, Fine Cigars,  
Toilet Articles etc.  
**ARCTIC SODA WATER.**  
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded and all Orders correctly filled.  
CALE BLOCK EAST FRONT STREET.

**Brainerd Dispatch.**  
Official Paper  
Of Crow Wing and Cass Counties.  
N. H. Ingersoll, Editors and Proprietors.  
F. W. Wieland.  
Entered at the Post Office at Brainerd, Minn.,  
as second class matter.

**Local News Notes.**  
Dr. Niven Nov. 29 and 30.  
The new N. P. car shops are fast  
nearing completion.  
Smith Gray has opened a meat mar-  
ket in East Brainerd.  
Mrs. G. F. Watson is in the city  
from Duluth visiting her mother.  
P. Walters will furnish the Grand  
Rapids people with ice next summer.  
M. G. Holmes has gone to Sacra-  
mento, Cal., to permanently locate.  
Alex Van Praag, the rustling cigar  
man from Little Falls, was in the city  
on Tuesday.  
You don't want to overlook the  
grand ball on Thursday evening next  
by Hope Hose Co. No. 1.  
Secretary Wood, of the Y. M. C. A.,  
on Monday evening sent in his resig-  
nation to take effect Dec. 17th.  
A bouncing baby boy made his ap-  
pearance at the residence of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. J. Frost on Tuesday morning.  
Our Gull River neighbors are to  
have a grand ball at that place on  
Thanksgiving night in Columbian  
hall.  
On Thursday evening there will be  
union Thanksgiving service at the  
Presbyterian church, Rev. Edwards  
delivering the address.

The finest possible work with the  
least possible pain at the lowest pos-  
sible prices. This is Dr. Niven's motto.  
At the Arlington Nov. 29 & 30.  
The Brainerd puglist, James Mc-  
Elroy, is pictured in this weeks Police  
Gazette, but he is credited to Little  
Falls. This is a serious mistake.  
The S. B. Hitt garden farm is now  
the property of John Brockway, that  
gentleman having recently exchanged  
his Fourth street residence property  
for it.  
The bazaar and supper at the rink  
on Wednesday evening by the ladies  
of the Congregational church was a  
very successful affair and about \$125  
was realized.

The east bound Duluth train now  
leaves here at 3:40 a. m. instead of  
8:15. The change in the new time  
card does not materially affect the  
time of the other trains.  
Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall are home  
from their eastern visit. Mr. Hall  
having been gone two months and Mrs.  
Hall all summer. After an absence  
of 28 years they found many changes  
at the old home.  
One of the coming events is the  
Germania Maennerchor masquerade  
ball which will take place Jan. 23.  
This is the seventh annual ball given  
by that society and each one has been  
a social success.  
Miss Lou White was given a very  
enjoyable surprise party on Tuesday  
evening at the residence of C. B.  
White on Norwood street, by her  
many Brainerd friends. Dancing  
and cards were indulged in, and the  
evening was very pleasantly passed.

A. S. McMillan, of the Wadena  
Journal, was a caller Tuesday. Mr.  
McMillan has recently moved his  
newspaper plant from Wadena to  
Wadena, and already is enjoying a  
good business there, and there is one  
point in his favor, and that is that he  
has one of the most complete printing  
establishments in northern Minn-  
nesota.  
The first real snow storm of the  
season occurred on Tuesday and for a  
time during the evening it looked as if  
we were to have a real old fashioned  
Minnesota blizzard but the storm abated  
towards morning after about four  
inches of snow had fallen. Street  
car service was not materially inter-  
fered with although Supt. Parker was  
out nearly all night with a force of  
men keeping the track open.  
Louis Stallman has sold the build-  
ing occupied by himself as a barber  
shop on Sixth street to A. Olson, the  
tailor, and will remove to a location  
on Fifth street near Front on Monday  
of next week. In the new business  
connected with him in the tonsorial  
business, will be taken into partner-  
ship. Mr. Olson will occupy his new  
building with his tailoring business  
at once.

The Columbian ice rink at the north  
end of the electric car line, will be  
ready to commence business by  
Thanksgiving, so we are informed by  
Mr. J. C. Gawn, the proprietor. Sea-  
son tickets can be procured from Sat-  
urday at the power house, or of Fred S.  
Parker, the price having been fixed  
at \$3 for gents, and \$2 for ladies.  
These tickets entitle the holders to  
the privileges of the rink at any time  
during the skating season, which at  
the Columbian rink promises to be a  
very merry one during the coming  
winter months.  
A telegram from Staples to the  
Evening Journal says that a travel-  
ing agent of the Equitable Life In-  
surance Company, finding business  
dull, started in on spiritual mani-  
festations, with the result that Dr. A. S.  
Ellis, of that place, has gone crazy  
and has been sent to an asylum. Two  
or three more people are badly  
wrought up and mentally unstrung.  
The people were so indignant at the  
"medium" that he was warned to  
leave town, and fearing violence, he  
took the midnight train for Fargo.  
The said affair has cast a gloom over  
Staples. Dr. Ellis was a very popu-  
lar doctor and citizen, and was liked  
by all.

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meet the bad times.  
Largest line of children's shoes at  
Bredfeld's. Bed rock prices.

To Be or Not to Be.  
A tempest in a teapot is brewing  
over the removal of the post office  
from its present location to a room in  
the A. G. Gallup building on 7th  
street. Wm. Durham, the postmaster,  
informs the DISPATCH that he has  
received positive orders from the post-  
office department at Washington to  
move into the new quarters Decem-  
ber 1st. As far as the Washington  
officials are personally concerned, the  
location might be at the dam for all  
they care, so the orders to move must  
have been given for someone's bene-  
fit here. It is stated also that a pe-  
tition for the removal was circulated  
and signed, but who it was signed by  
is unknown to the writer. A remon-  
strance, directed to Major Baldwin,  
was being circulated and largely  
signed yesterday, which will at once  
be sent in to Washington, for the re-  
moval of the office in its present lo-  
cation, for a time at least, the docu-  
ment setting forth the inconveniences  
and inconveniences of the two places.  
While the post-office location, as  
far as this paper is concerned, doesn't  
cut much figure as long as it is with-  
in reasonable distance in either di-  
rection, we think that if a move is  
contemplated all the people mutually  
considered, and its location mutually  
considered. Ever since it was taken  
from the room in the bank block on  
6th street, there has been ill feeling,  
and we believe that the city would  
be better off if the place where it is  
now were the quarters proposed,  
it will be satisfactory to all.  
In the meantime you can get your  
mail in the Slipp-Atherton block, but  
keep your eye on the mail carrier.

Thanksgiving Service.  
The union Thanksgiving service  
will be held at the Presbyterian  
Church at 7:30 p. m. next Thursday.  
It is thought that the change of time  
from the morning to the evening will  
make it more convenient for business  
men and wives who have to look after  
the turkey and plum pudding.  
The sermon will be preached by Rev. T.  
Merrill Edmunds. It is expected that  
incidentally Mr. Edmunds will touch  
upon the Catholic question and Ameri-  
canism.  
G. W. Ingraham, formerly of this  
city, is building a 75 room hotel at  
Jamestown, N. D.  
Judge Chipperfield united Nils  
Edwards and Miss Anna Jansen in  
marriage on Wednesday.

There will be preaching Sunday  
morning in the Baptist church, and  
song service in the evening.  
Rev. C. H. Moxie will preach in the  
Baptist Church Sunday the 26th.  
Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
The Grand Rapids Magnet says R.  
M. Stitt has returned to that place  
from Brainerd to complete his log-  
ging operations.  
The rooms in the Sleeper block to  
be occupied by Henry I. Cohen are  
being thoroughly remodeled, plate  
glass being placed in front, and other  
improvements made necessary for the  
convenience of a first-class establish-  
ment.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck mourn  
the loss of their eight year old child,  
Darwin, who died on Thursday night  
of heart disease. Funeral services  
will be held on Sunday afternoon at  
3 o'clock from the Swedish Lutheran  
church. Rev. A. R. Vallquist, officiat-  
ing.

A society called the Minister's As-  
sociation was recently organized here  
with Rev. T. M. Edmunds as president,  
Rev. G. H. Davis, vice president,  
and Rev. Geo. West secretary. The  
association will meet every Sunday  
morning at the Y. M. C. A. parlors.  
The Masonic and Pythian fraterni-  
ties of Brainerd have issued invita-  
tions for their opening entertainment  
and uniform ball in their new lodge  
room, Columbian block, on Friday  
evening, Dec. 8. Elaborate prepara-  
tions have been made for an enjoy-  
able event.—Little Falls Transcript.

A man named Perry Roderwald  
while stopping at the house of a friend  
near the saw mill fell dead of  
heart disease on Sunday evening.  
Deceased was 40 years of age and had  
no relatives in this country as far as  
known. The corner was called but no  
request held, the burial occurring on  
Tuesday.  
The members of the Northern Pa-  
cific Library Association will celebrate  
their eighth anniversary with a  
grand ball to be held in Columbian  
hall on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd.  
During the past year the library has  
been improved by the addition of a  
number of the latest and best me-  
chanical works and it is the desire of  
the board of directors to still further in-  
crease the usefulness of the associa-  
tion by the addition of more new  
books from the best authors during  
the incoming year. Tickets are now  
on sale at \$1.00 each, and all are cor-  
dially invited.

A telegram from Morrison, Ill., on  
Saturday announced that Charles An-  
drews, proprietor of the Andrews  
Opera Company, traveling in their  
own private parlor car, met a horrible  
death there that day. Andrews  
stepped from one railroad track to  
another to avoid a west bound freight  
train, when the east bound Omaha  
express struck him, throwing him un-  
der the freight train, where his body  
was ground to pieces. It will be re-  
membered that Mr. Andrews' wife  
and maid were burned to death at  
Jonestown, east of Brainerd, in Janu-  
ary, 1892, in a railroad disaster. His  
only child, Bessie Andrews, died two  
months ago at Mankato, of diphtheria.  
I have too large a stock and I  
give you the benefit. I will sell for  
CASH any five or ten cent cigar by  
the box at actual cost. This stock is  
composed of some of the best brands  
in the market.  
DAVENPORT'S OLD CORNER STORE,  
Cor. 5th and Front St.  
Pipes at cost at C. H. Paine's.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.  
**Royal Baking Powder**  
**ABSOLUTELY PURE**

Their Thirtieth Anniversary.  
Friday last was the thirtieth anni-  
versary of the wedding of Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred S. Parker, and a number  
of their friends concluded that a sur-  
prise would be the proper thing to  
celebrate the occasion. Accordingly  
the party assembled, to the number  
of twenty-five, at the residence of Mrs.  
Ditmar, and proceeded to the Parker  
residence at 9 o'clock. So closely  
had the arrangements been guarded,  
that Mr. Parker and his estimable  
wife were completely surprised when  
the party invaded their household  
unannounced and took possession.  
After greetings were exchanged the  
company enjoyed themselves at cards  
until luncheon was served, the guests  
not forgetting to bring a goodly sup-  
ply of refreshments with them. Dur-  
ing the evening a cut glass water ser-  
vice was presented to Mr. and Mrs.  
Parker by the friends assembled.  
Judge Fleming making the presenta-  
tion remarks, which were feelingly  
responded to by Mr. Parker. The  
guests departed at 1 o'clock after hav-  
ing passed a very enjoyable evening,  
and wishing their hosts long life and  
many recurrences of the pleasant oc-  
casion. Among those present were:  
Mr. and Mrs. John Nevers, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. S.  
F. Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spald-  
ing, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Snyder, Mr.  
and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll, Mr. and  
Mrs. D. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gif-  
ford, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Forsyth, Mrs.  
Fannie Smith, Miss Bessie Mulrine,  
Miss Amy Lowrey, W. S. McClenahan  
and Dr. J. L. Camp.

You are especially invited to call  
at Veon's, in Gardner's block, and ex-  
amine his jewelry and get his profit-  
shaving prices. Do not forget about  
this.  
Regular Council Meeting.  
The city council met in regular ses-  
sion on Monday evening with Presi-  
dent Williamson and Ald. McMurtry,  
Parker and Anderson absent. The  
minutes were adopted and the clerk's  
financial report for October was read  
and adopted. The following claims  
against the city were allowed and or-  
dered paid:  
Slipp Bros, supplies..... \$33.87  
Koop Bros, wood..... 111.25  
C. B. White, supplies..... 25.70  
S. A. Wood, oak lumber..... 71.67  
Jos. Baker, work..... 8.75  
M. L. Swartz, supplies..... 8.85  
M. Maloney, drayage..... 3.25  
J. A. Martin, work..... 3.00  
John Britton, drayage..... 2.75  
Katz Bros, supplies..... 1.90  
Jno. King, drayage..... 1.75  
P. G. Fogelstrom, work..... 12.50  
Wm. Barron, police whistle..... 5.00  
F. A. Farrar, express..... .55  
Brainerd Journal, signs..... 1.50  
Tribune, advertising..... 9.70  
St. Hall, hay and stove..... 8.63  
Geo. Gordon, labor..... .75  
Elec. Eng. Co..... 79.12  
Felix Graham..... 1.27  
Bill of J. J. Howe & Co. of \$46.37  
was referred to committee.  
Transcript of judgment of Mary  
Andrews against the City of Brainerd  
for \$631.37 was referred to finance  
committee.  
Motion carried that an order for  
\$420 be drawn in favor of R. H.  
Paine in payment for railroad fare.  
The matter of fixing up a place to  
dye hose on in the Fourth ward hose  
house was referred to the fire com-  
mittee with power to act.  
Report of electric light committee  
recommending the appointment of  
W. Percy as second engineer at the  
electric light station be confirmed,  
was read and adopted.  
Report of committee in regard to  
the communication of J. N. True and  
bill of \$41.60 against Wm. Barron  
and the City of Brainerd, recommend-  
ing that it be referred to the mayor,  
was adopted.  
The mayor was instructed to en-  
force ordinance No. 113 in regard to  
peddlars license.  
Motion made and carried that the  
matter of repairs needed at the dam  
be referred to the electric light com-  
mittee with power to act.  
Resolution in regard to the pay-  
ment of electric light rentals, making  
it the duty of consumers to pay dues  
at the city clerk's office and if not  
paid by the 10th of the month to shut  
them off, also for clerk to collect  
\$1.00 for turning lights on when they  
have been shut off for non payment,  
was read and adopted.  
The matter of filling in well at the  
corner of Tenth and Quince streets  
was referred to committee with power  
to act.  
Council then adjourned.

The council called for the installa-  
tion of Rev. T. Merrill Edmunds as  
pastor of the First Congregational  
church of this city, met Tuesday af-  
ternoon at 3 o'clock. Those present  
were Revs. G. A. Merrill, of Minneap-  
olis, W. C. A. Wallen, of Duluth, E.  
Cary, of Wadena, Wm. Moore, of Lit-  
tle Falls, and Mrs. W. R. Baumbach,  
delegate from Wadena. A. S. Mc-  
Millan was also present from Wadena.  
A statement of belief was given by  
Rev. Edmunds, followed by questions  
by the council. Owing to the storm  
the audience in the evening was  
small, but those present richly en-  
joyed the sermon by Rev. Geo. R.  
Merrill and the other exercises.

Read our advertisement about the  
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HENRY I. COHEN.  
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plied to the gums and your feel no  
pain. Dentistry in all branches.  
Low prices and warranted work.  
Elected Officers.  
The following is a list of the newly  
elected officers of Brainerd Lodge No.  
47, A. O. U. W.:  
P. M. W.—A. E. Pennell.  
Master Workman—Otto Reinhardt.  
Foreman—T. R. Wicks.  
Overseer—P. M. Johnson.  
Recorder—W. E. Eutrick.  
Financial—Chas. A. Banks.  
Receiver—J. T. Sauton.  
Guide—J. Molstad.  
Inside Watch—Mons. Mahlum.  
Outside Watch—P. M. Zakariassen.  
Trustee for 3 years.—John Willis.  
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The Wadena Pioneer has the fol-  
lowing to say of C. E. Lum, a brother  
of County Attorney Lum of this  
city:  
The many readers of the Pioneer  
to-day will be surprised to learn that  
Dr. C. E. Lum has sold his practice  
and office furniture to Dr. McKinnon,  
of Minneapolis, and on January 1st  
will leave Wadena for New York,  
where he will take a two years course  
in one of the medical institutions of that  
city. His host of friends and ac-  
quaintances in Wadena and vicinity  
will regret to learn this, as Dr. Lum  
is looked upon as one of the most suc-  
cessful physicians and surgeons in  
Northern Minnesota, and his practice  
extends to all of the small villages  
and towns within a radius of 25 or 30  
miles of Wadena. There are few  
country physicians who enjoy his in-  
come, few who have been more suc-  
cessful in their practice, and none who  
have more friends and well-wishers  
than Dr. Lum. The doctor came to  
Wadena about seven years ago, suc-  
ceeding to the practice of Dr. Crom-  
ett, and for several years operated  
the drug store now owned by Knight  
& Whipple. He is the local surgeon  
of the Northern Pacific railroad, and  
as a surgeon he stands high in the  
ranks of the profession.  
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J. F. McGinnis & Co's Xmas offer-  
ing to their customers—a ticket on a  
beautiful \$35.00 side board with each  
\$1.00 cash purchase.  
Thanksgiving Day.  
That the war for the Union accom-  
plished more things than the abolition  
of slavery, is only one of the many in-  
stances in which causes have pro-  
duced effects not anticipated. The  
best thing the war did for us was to  
make us a nation. Daniel Webster  
said "I know no North, no South, no  
East, no West," but he stood almost  
alone. Now there is year by year less  
talk about the special interest any of  
"section"; we are becoming one peo-  
ple. One of the best evidences of the  
decay of sectionalism is the almost  
universal observance of Thanksgiv-  
ing Day. Before the war, it was  
looked upon in the South and West  
as a "Yankee institution," now the  
President of the United States and  
the Governors of most of the states  
recommend its observance by formal  
proclamation. It is a great day for  
home-gathering. Do you intend to  
meet the brothers and sisters next  
week at the home of your childhood?  
If you are anywhere west of Chicago,  
the best route to the old homestead,  
be it North, South, East or West, is  
the Burlington Route, which goes  
everywhere. For tickets and any in-  
formation, ask your local agent, or  
write to W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass.  
St. Paul, Minn.

Have your photograph taken at  
McColl's studio, over the postoffice.  
Our finest cabinets \$4 per dozen.  
One dollar left with J. F. McGinnis  
& Co. will get you an honest \$1.00  
worth of goods and a ticket on that  
beautiful \$35 sideboard.  
We have skates in all sizes styles  
and at prices to suit all customers.  
See us before buying.  
C. B. WHITE.  
The latest novelties in Gents neck-  
wear at J. F. McGinnis & Co's  
Horses, cows, ponies, wagons, bug-  
gies and harnesses for sale on time at  
Hoffman's  
Picture frames and pictures to  
frame, a large variety, and fine goods  
at McColl's.  
DO YOU WANT TO SAVE  
MONEY? Buy your DRY GOODS of  
HENRY I. COHEN.  
500 Cords of Wood.  
Bids will be received for 500 cords  
of green jack pine wood to be de-  
livered at N. P. Foundry. Bids will  
be received until Nov. 10th.  
For a Stewart surface burner, Howe  
Ventilating base burner, or Monitor  
wood parlor heater of the latest and  
most approved pattern, call at D. M.  
Clark & Co's store and inspect their  
stock. They carry the latest variety  
of heating and cook stoves ever shown  
in this city.  
Subscribe for the DISPATCH. All  
the news for \$1.50 per year.  
A large stock of pipes are being  
closed out at less than cost at C. H.  
Paine's.  
If you want fine artistic job work  
leave your order with the DISPATCH.  
Our work is unexcelled.

**Extraordinary Announcement**  
We Advertise Herewith a  
**SPECIAL REMOVAL SALE.**

We shall remove from our present location to the store  
in the Sleeper Block on or about the last of December.  
Prior to that time, it is necessary for us to  
**Reduce our Stock.**  
We shall therefore make this unusual offer: Our entire  
stock is offered to the public, without reserve,  
**AT COST!**

Commencing Saturday of this week we will sell all of our  
FLANNELS, UNDERWEAR, NOTIONS, LINENS, DRY  
GOODS, PRINTS, GINGHAMS, BLANKETS, QUILTS,  
BLANKETS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, Etc.  
**At Actual Cost for Cash.**

In order to include all we shall also sell the entire stock of  
**CLOAKS AT COST.**  
We will sell you a Cloak at just what it costs from the  
factory. Remember this is the chance of the season for  
the people.  
**HENRY I. COHEN.**

He Would Kill Bear.  
The Minneapolis Journal of Sun-  
day Contains the following:  
O. S. Loncks, of Brainerd, was in  
Minneapolis yesterday to buy in a sup-  
ply of ammunition for the special  
delegation of a black bear which has  
been roaming the country in that  
vicinity of late. This is the first bear  
seen in the neighborhood of Brainerd  
for a couple of years, according to  
Mr. Loncks, and he determined to get  
a shot at him before he is much older.  
"I can remember the time," said the  
Brainerd man yesterday, "when the  
black bear used to come down from  
the Rainy lake every fall, and just in-  
vade the country round us. Many  
thousands of them were killed, and  
there was great sport hunting them  
every year. That was not so many  
years ago, either, and there seemed to  
be no end to the breed then, but they  
have been very scarce of late years.  
They are still thick enough up north,  
though, but somehow they don't make  
these pilgrimages as they used to.  
The biggest bear I ever killed I ran  
across in a nut patch about five miles  
from my farm. This fellow was 400  
pounds dead weight, and there is a  
rope at the house still that was made  
from his hide. He was asleep when I  
first saw him, curled up at the foot of  
a tree in such a way that I couldn't  
get a shot on him. I stood off and  
threw dead sticks at him until he got  
up and stretched himself, turning to  
a position facing me in the process.  
Then I let him have it and he rolled  
over after going a short distance.  
This bear I am after now is a pretty  
good sized one and I feel pretty sure  
that there is another one and some-  
times round the neighborhood some-  
where. If I have anything like luck  
I may get two or three before the  
winter is over."

**The Brainerd Mercantile Co.**  
Wish to call the attention  
of the public to the fact  
that they are doing  
**A STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS**  
And Selling Goods  
**AT STRICTLY CASH PRICES,**  
Which means that it will be money in your  
pocket to call and get our prices before pur-  
chasing elsewhere.  
**All Goods Warranted First-Class.**

**T. McMASTER,**  
—DEALER IN—  
**FINE TEAS AND COFFEES.**  
We carry a full line of  
**Fresh Groceries.**  
Lumbermen's Supplies a Specialty  
CORNER SIXTH AND FRONT STREETS. - BRAINERD, MINN

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This is the time of the year  
**We are Catching Cold.**  
And now's the time we are talking  
**Sherwood's Cough Syrup,**  
To our Customers, as it is a SURE Cure for Coughs, Colds and hoarseness.  
**25c. A Bottle at**  
**The Pioneer Drug Store,**  
Frank B. Johnson, N. McFadden, Prop.  
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